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# **WILSON REALIZES** PEACEFUL MEANS

#### DRASTIC COURSE MAY BE NECESSARY

It Cannot Be Avoided, American Government Can Be Expected to Move De-

Washington, March 2.—President lison fevealed to those who dis-used Mexican affairs with him tothat he fully realized the gravit; of the situation resulting from the killing of William S. Benton a British subject, the reported murder Gustav Bauch, and Clemente Vergara.
American citizens, and General Carranza's denial of the right of the United States to look after the Interests of foreigners generally in Mexico.

of a country like the United States as being sufficient warrant fo

posal to solve the Mexican problem, but that he realized certain eventualities might mean a drastic course. etermination not to be stampeded into be expected to move decisively

General Carranza, it is understood, through American Consul Simpleh at Nogales, and on their outcome depend: Juarez yesterday to examine Benton Washington administration, how-

completed," said Secretary Bryan, was his only comment.

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the Spanish ambassador. Both Spain and Great British have recognized the Huiding in an orderly manner, and Great British have recognized the played by one of their number on the played by one of their number on the played by the building was emptled in looking to the United States to act for them in Northern Markets. them in Northern, Mexico.

ment into any recognition or other dealings with him.

manding it. Strictly speaking, Car-ranza might insist on his right not to deal with one government in the in-

RICHMOND, VA., TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1914.

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# MAY PROVE FUTILE

President Deplores Armed Intervention, but Hints That, if cisively and Effectively.

pliance with the American demands

Carranza's specific refusal to

Representations have been made to

ver, is taking it for granted that ar-angements authorized by General Vil-

We are waiting for the details to

Indication that this There is every indication that this course will be continued, and it is clearly established that Carranga's manoculy established that Carranga's manocuUnder Mann Act.

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President Wilson explained to callers had many foreign governments had

the interest of the American government of the interest of the Ameri

Sir Edward Grey's expected statement to the House of Commons is awaited here with much interest, as it is felt by many he will show just how far Grent Britain expects reparation for the Benton killing at this time.

To-morrow Sir Lionel Carden, the British minister to Mexico, will discuss Mexican affairs with President Wilson, bringing him the latest information about the Huerta government and the situation in Mexico City,

Just as President

ment and the situation in Mexico City.

Just as President Wilson had decided that the note which Huerta had addressed several days ago to all foreign governments was designed for (Continued On Seventh Page.)

Anxious for independence.

Washington, March 2.—The Philippine Assembly has night adopted resolutions urging the American Congress to provide at the present session for the independence of the islands, according to a cablegram to-day received by Delegate Quezon.

## DEFENDANT SLAIN

Prosecuting Witness Shoots Man on Trial for Murder.

St. Louis, Mo., March 2.—Wesley (Red) P. Simon, on trial here on a charge of murdering Emmett Carroll in a gang fued nearly a year ago, today was shot and killed in a near-by saloon, during a recess of the court in which he was being tried. Shortly after the killing Henry Zang, principal witness for the prosecution, surrendered at the central police station, saying he had had some trouble with Simon.

He Is Alive to Gravity of Mexican Situation.

Simon.

The sheriff, who had feared an attack would be made on Simon, had detailed four special policemen to guard him in the courthouse. When the shooting occurred they were standing on a street corner two blocks away.

Zang says that Simon, after making a menacing gesture and threat, moved his hand towards his hip pocket. When Simon's body was examined no revolver was found, and his hip pockets were buttoned.

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The killing of Carroll, for which Simon was placed on trial to-day, occurred in a saloon last March. After the murder Carroll's body was placed in an automobile and left near the home of Mrs. Mary Hagerty, whose daughter discovered the body. Simon, who was arrested, admitted that he shot Carroll, but pleaded relf-defense. Zang, who is a bartender, was expected by the prosecution to testify that Simon borrowed a revolver from him Iwo hours before the shooting. To the police to-night Zang said Simon came into the Mooney saloon twice while he was drinking and told somebody "that fellow will never live to testify against me."

#### ACTION SEEMS ASSURED

senate Likely to Vote on Proposed Suffrage Amena ment.

Washington, March 2—Action by the Senate within a few days on the proposed woman suffrage constitutional amendment seemed assured to-night side hite measure was made "unfinished business." An immediate vote seemed imminent at one time when there was a chorus yi demands for a roll call, but Senator Shafroth and others held up the vote to continue debate.

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#### LETTER IS DELIVERED

Mrs. Pankhurst Asks King to Receive

## OLD ISSUE UP AGAIN

General Lucey. The road contends that the State cannot tax bonds on property already taxed.

#### NOW AWAIT SENTENCE

Chicago, March 2.—Charles and Zoe Wilson, alias Willard, whose conviction under the Mann act in the Federal court here recently was affirmed by the

# -- DESPITE PROTEST, HOUSE VOTES FOR BIGGER PENSIONS

Measure Expected to Measure as Amended Carry a Total Expenditure of \$900,000.

#### TWO MEMBERS STAND AGAINST IT

Brewer Declares That \$125,000 Must Be Trimmed From Appropriation Bill-Road and School Funds May Be Upset-Judge Williams Sounds Warning.

His Majesty is unwise enough to see the deputation." Mrs. e-Fox said, "we will go to Buck our Palace anyway."

deers may us eligible.

Will Upset Appropriation Bill.

Only two members of the rior voted against the bill on its final members.

dignity, and they hope to overcome this by consulting him now, impressing upon the Constitutionalist chief incidentally that the American government does not think formalities ought to stand in the way of obtaining proper protection for foreigners.

General Carranza's declaration that foreign governments should address him about the welfare of their subforeign governments should address him about the welfare of their subforeign governments should address him about the welfare of their subforeign governments of the state cannot tax bonds on property already taxed.

State was represented by Attorney. General Lucey. The road contends that without danger of a defect.

Fear reminantial Payments.

The pending question had been ordered just before adjournment on started, and the bill came up yes, terday on its passage with a large number of amendments, which were voted on without explanation or distance the day when fire populs were hurried from the peoples Street Public School building him about the welfare of their subforeign governments should address him about the welfare of their subforeign governments should address him about the welfare of their subforeign governments should address him about the welfare of their subforeign governments.

Atlanta, Ga. March 2.—Five humber of amendment offered by Mr. Lewis, of Mecklenburg, to produce the dome of the complement on the constitution of the otion of the complement on the state cannot tax bonds on property with the state cannot tax bonds on property and the bill was so worded that the amend the state cannot tax bonds on property to the filling of the reports are operation to the filling of the reports are operation to the day on which the bill an upon to the day on which the day on which the day on the day on which the day on the filling of the reports are operation of the original state of passage with a large of a defect.

The pending upon the constitutional payments.

The pending upon the constitution for the original state of the treatment of the complement on the in most of the classes the provision is for certain sums per annum. In other classes the words "per annum" are omitted, and provision for payment twice a year might have been construed to mean two payments of the amount specified.

When the vote was are ment might serve to double all pen, county and city officers.

DIVORCE AND RECALL

The Menth of the Chairman of the Committee of another, but such a situation undoubtedly would produce grave complications with the United States growing the world have learned to look as the dominant factor in Pan-American diplomacy.

First Specific Refusal.

Carranza has once before suggested that Spin, instead of the United States should address him directly about the welfare of Spanish subjects. This was intimated by Secretary Bryan to-day, but on that occasion, nevertheless, assurances were given that all foreigners would be protected. The Benton case of the second continued to the committee from the committee from sale of the committee the highway funds.
Should Watch Where Money Goes.

went over the desk was one appropriating \$52,000 to meet a deficit in pensions because of that change. Now you have amended this bill, to move that date from 1868 to 1870, and no Senator Holt sought to restore the pensions to the world can saw what the man in the world can say what the provision exempting from the operacost will be. You have added a hatf tion of the bill counties less than fifty ments which have been voted on."

With the amendments out of the way, the Senate voted to dispense with ments which have been voted on."

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# FEE REFORM BILL HAS EASY VICTORY IN STATE SENATE

Passes Upper House by Vote of 35 to 2.

#### HAILED AS STEP TO SALARY BASIS

Creates Commission, to Which Fee Officers Must Make Annual Detailed Report of Receipts and Disbursements, and Fixes Maximum Compensation.

originally drawn the bill provided a maximum compensation of \$5,500 applying to officers in cities and correspondingly lower maximums for cities and counties of less population. Committee and passed yesterday, the highest compensation for cities is fixed at \$6,500, and the maximum for counties at \$5,000.

Hichmond Trensurer Excepted. Senator Caunon, and incorporated im-mediately before the bill was passed

such as raising the property limit, and changing the date of marriage, in order that whows of Confederate soldiers may be eligible.

Will type Appropriation Bill.
Only two members of the House

that many foreign governments had desired the United States to look after their subjects, but, of course, had no right to demand it, and were not demanding it. Strictly speaking, Carmanding it. Strictly speaking, Carmanding it. Strictly speaking, Carmanding it. Strictly speaking to demand the state of the subjects of the subject of the subjects of the subject of the subje he would oppose any diversion from its original form, changing only the the highway funds

dozen other items just as far reaching. I say again that I am in favor of Confederate pensions, but I do not believe that it is right for this House Holt said, do not desire any change to vote away the people's money with-out consideration, and without any knowledge of the cost of the amend-

(Continued On Fifth Page.)

#### SHIPLEY EXONERATED

Colonel Goethals Says He Is Doing Good Work on lathmus.

Washington, March 2.—Inquiry today of Colonel George W. Goethals, chairmans of the Panama Canal Commission, who is now here, escablishes that dispatches dated Panama on or about February 2 last, stating that W. F. Shipley, chief clerk of the subsistence department, had been suspended on grounds of Incompetence, were erroneous.

Colonel Goethals says Mr. Shipley was not suspended at that time or at any time since. He also speaks of Mr. Shipley as an entirely competent official, and says he is now satisfactorily discharging the important duties of chief cierk of the subsistence department of the canal. It appears that Mr. Shipley had spoken of resigning in order to accept a business position which had been offered him, and this may have given rise to the other statements in reference to him.

Colonel Goethals also entirely exonserates Mr. Shipley from any connection with the alleged transactions which led to the suspension of John Burke, manager of the commissary commission.

#### GERMANS ARE ALARMED

They Fear throads of Anglo-American
Tobucco Interests.

Bromen, March 2.—A large massmeeting of persons connected with
Bromen's tobacco interests was held at
the Bourse to-night in protest against
the growth of the Anglo-American tobacco combination in Germany. Delegates from Hamburg and Dresden tobacco organizations also were present.
A resolution was passed declaring the
commission to be a grave danger to
German business interests and to
Bremen's tobacco trade.

There has been agitation in Germany for some time past against the Anglo-American tobacco combination, which has invaded the German cigarette industry, gained control of a large number of leading factories and established a chain of retail stores. He cently independent manufacturers and dealers united in a general protective league and appealed to the government for assistance against the invaders. Predictions were made that the result of a promised government induiry into the situation would be the passage of a law for the establishment of a government cigarette monopoly.

#### MAY PROVE TRAGEDY

Woman Shoots Herself After Quarrel With Rodolfo Reyes. Nantes, France, March 2.—The voy-age of the French Line steamer La Naage of the French Line steamer La Navarre, from Havana to this port, was marked by an incident which may prove a tragedy. Mms. Marie Caufleu, a friend of Rodolfo Reyes, former Minister of Justice in the Cabinet of French Huerta, of Mexico, attempted to commit suicide by shooting on Saturday night. All on board the vessel were aroused by the shots, and the woman was found lying outside Reyes, and the cabin with two bullets in her breast. A quarrel between Reyes and thow man is supposed to have been the cause for her act.

When the steamer arrived to-day the condition of Mme. Caufleu was pronounced very grave.

Bedelfo Reyes was appear the ways of life has occurred, scores of people were swept off their feet, business were swept off their feet, business were bartly demotished and unroofed, barns and other farm buildings overturned, electric telephone and telegraph services are almost out of commission, trains are running slowly without telegraphic orders, cemetery monuments and scores of their fastenines were wrecked, chimneys knocked over, shutters torn from their hinges, street signs ripped from their fastenings and windows shattered.

Few Buildings Escape.

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Rodolfo Reyes was among the members of the Chamber of Deputies arrested by President Huerta's orders October 11 hast, charged with being conspirators. He was released from the penitentiary February 9, and sailed for Havana. Reaching the Cuban port, he was not permitted to land, and sailed on board La Navarre for France February 15.

## ACTION IS POSTPONED

Receivers for Arlington Hotel Property May Be Numed To-Day.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Washington. D. C., March 2—The filing of additional petitions by a number of small creditors, who wish to intervene, added to the announced unpreparedness of coursel for the decree, to-day caused Justice Gould, of the Supreme Court, to postpone until to-morrow the naming of the receivers for the Arlington Hotel Company, asked for by the American National Bank, of Richmond, as assignees of Potts & McComas, contractors.

## BANKER UNDER ARREST

Members of Crew Drown When Their Bark Capsizes.

Cuxhaven, Germany, March 2.—Thirteen members of the crew of the Norwegian bark Tasman perished to-day in the North Sea when the bark capsized. News of the disaster reached here to-night when a fishing steamer came into port bringing six men of the Tasman's crew, the only persons who survived the wreck.

Freezes to Death in Steigh Freezes to Death in Steign.
Hazleton. Pa., March 2.—Ella Sweeney, aged twenty-two, was found frozen to death to-day in a sleigh where her companion, James Bar Voldi, had left her last night in the blizzard while he went for help.

Stone Made Chairman.

# LIFE AND PROPERTY TOLLOFRAGING WIND

# FEW BUILDINGS ESCAPE DAMAGE IN FURY OF GALE

Winchester Is Hit by Railway Service Demor-Hurricane, and Loss Is Tremendous.

### UPROOTED TREES NEW YORK FACING TEAR GRAVES OPEN

Houses and Barns Overturned or East Is Emerging From Destruc-Carried Away, Roofs Sent Flying and Chimneys Topple, While Wires Are Down. All Virginia Suffers in Great Storm.

and Frederick County has caused upday evening. The wind raged all night and to-day at velocity of seventy-five miles an hour, and is still blowing a gale. It came from the West without of life has occurred, scores of their feet, business were swept off their feet, business houses and homes were partly demolouses and homes were partly demolouses and homes were partly demolouses and homes were partly demolouses. Scotlan borders, the storm has been general. In New England further telephone and telegraph services are damage

Few Buildings Escape. Comparatively few buildings in Winchester escaped some damage. Por-tions of streets in front of damaged buildings are roped off and danger signals displayed. Some structures signals displayed. Some structures may have to be torn down. Scores of may have to be torn down. Scores of tall cedars and maples in Mount Hebron Cemetery were uprooted, knocking down tombstones in their path and ripping open graves, and exposing human skeletons. A granite monument weighing several tons in Oliver P. Grove's lot, was smashed. Great damage was done by falling trees in Confederate and national competeries, but federate and national cometeries, but no monuments were damaged.

A big brick building on Main Street, owned by Joseph H. Savage, Weverton, Md. occupied by John S. Solenberger & Co., and the Fraternal Order of Eagles, was partly demolished, and may have to be torn down, as were also the homes of Miss Katharine Miller, Hugh Green, M. L. Barr and W. A. (Sandy) Baker. Mr. and Mrs. Baker and children fled during the night just as ditions have obtained. While routed in the roof was ripped off and a chimney crashed through into the room in which

they had been sleeping.

Part of the home of Thomas Coover,
Sr., was unroofed, chimneys fell through the ceilings, windows were smarhed and great trees were hurled against the house.

The Robinson Cold Storage Com-

pany's five story building was unroofed and the fifth story carried away. residence of Major Holmes Conrad, former United States solicitor-general. Henry Damage Done.
The colored Odd Fellows' three-story

building is tottering. J. S. Haldeman's creamery was unroofed and otherwise damaged. The main exhibition building of the Shenandoah Valley Agricultural Society, the hood of the grandstand, bandstand and many stables were reduced to kindling wood, but will be rebuilt at once. The Lewis Jones Knitting Mill was partly unroofed and some machinery damaged requiring a temporary shutdown Win-dows were torn out of the City Hall and

with terrific force, and part of the gas company's plant near-by was unroofed. A thirteen-tuch wall at the northwest

and caved in.

At the Cumberland Valley Railroad vards both ends of a large hay warehouse were battered in, as was also portions of the roundhouse. Sections of slate rounds were tern from the interrupted in some sections of the interrupted in some sections of the

# TRAINS ARE 'LOST' AND WIRES DOWN, **RESULT OF STORM**

alized by Worst Blizzard Since 1888.

## POSSIBLE FAMINE

tive Blow, but It Will Be Week Before Normal Conditions Are Restored - South in Grasp of Cold

Weather.

tures rising and fuir weather promised. New York and vicinity to-night is beginning glining to emerge from the storm which railroad and telegraph com-panies declare has been the most de-structive in this section of the coun-try since the memorable blizzard of

moment's warning. Although no loss ,the damage caused by wind, snow, raise streams swollen by melting lee and snow. In and near New York ten per sons perished yesterday and to-day wrecked, chim- and several fatalities were reported

#### elsewhere

elsewhere.

Wires in Bad Shape.

Except by roundabout routes and with the aid of a few wires running underground, commercial New York to-night still remained cut off from telegraphic communication with the West and South.

The public

The public reached Philadelphia by way of Mon-treal, and had a few wires to Washington, Baltimore, Pittsburgh, Scranton, Wilmington, Richmond and Reading. For the most part, these were telephone circuits. Hope was expressed for better conditions, although it will be at least a week, it stated, before service can be restored

to normal.

Telegraph company officials said they could not estimate at this time the cost of making repairs. The loss to

Despite the serious wire situation that has continued for more than two days, the service of the Associated Press has been maintained intact throughout the Eastern territory af-fected. In other sections normal conby way of Washington, Pittsburgh and Chicago were kept in constant opera-

tion. The fallen telegraph poles which interrupted wire service, continued to de-lay trains for many hours. Trains are "lost" on many roads in New York. New Jersey, Pennsylvania States. The Pennsylvania Railroad annd the fifth story carried away.

Four chimneys crashed down on the esidence of Major Holmes Conrad, ormer United States solicitor-general. ty-five hours' interruption to service. On some roads, trains sent out from New York and New Jersey stations were stocked with double rations and were marked "subject to delay,"

Trains Are Stalled.
Three trains en route from Philadelphia were stalled at Trenton, and their passengers were sent to hotels by the Pennsylvania Railroad. where in New Jersey a train with Vice-President Marshall as a passenger was believed to be proceeding slowly to-

dows were torn out of the City Hall and the slate roof is badly damaged.

A great steel smokestack at Robinson's Steam Laundry crashed down ment and provisions. A coal famine is threatened in parts of the city be cause of the snow-filled streets, which willwas
on and caved in.

The northwest are almost impassable after a snowfull of between thirteen and fourteen inches since vesterday morning.

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were in darkness again to-night, dersey City and Newark, N. J., were without fire protection, and men patrolled the streets with lanterns, preparelled the streets with lanterns, pre-pared to send in nlarms by telephone. In Newark schools and factories closed. Several thousand men and women were thrown out of work. The first steamers to arrive since Sunday morning reached quarantine to-day. The Philadelphia, of the American Line, twenty-six hours late, loomed up a glass ship, as she was covered from stem to stern with ice

and snow. Captain A. R. Mills said the voyage was the roughest of the liner's 230 trips during sixteen years The Minnetonka came in a day late. and the Kaiser Franz Josef L, the Cin-cinnati and several other vessels many

## Thirteen Die lu Storm.

Philadelphia, March 2.—Eastern ennsylvania, Delaware and Southern New Jersey are gradually recovering from the effects of the blizzard which raged from early yesterday until nearly nightfall to-day. Wire communication between this city and New York, as well as points on the New Jersey coast, remains practically at a standstill but railroad traffic to and from New Jersey. from New York has been re-establish-ed, although on an uncertain scale. Normal schedules are being maintained again by the trolley roads in this city, but there is still considerable delay to outlying sections. The snow censed falling before sundown, but the high winds continued unabated at a

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